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Title 22@ Social Security

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Division 2@ Department of Social Services-Department of Health Services

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Part 2@ Health and Welfare Agency-Department of Health Services Regulations

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Subdivision 7@ California Children's Services

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Chapter 13@ Resolution of Complaints and Appeals by CCS Clients or Applicants

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Article 2@ Designated CCS Agency

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Section 42140@ Right to Appeal

## **42140 Right to Appeal**

### **(a)**

A CCS applicant or client who disagrees with a decision of the designated CCS agency has the right to appeal that decision except when the service under dispute has been ordered or terminated by a CCS physician with responsibility for the medical supervision of the client. If the client or person legally authorized to decide for the client disagrees with the CCS physician, the client shall be provided with names of three expert physicians from whom the client will choose one, who will evaluate the child at CCS expense. The opinion of the expert physician shall be final.

### **(b)**

The agency need not grant a hearing if the sole issue is a Federal or State law requiring an automatic change adversely affecting some or all recipients.